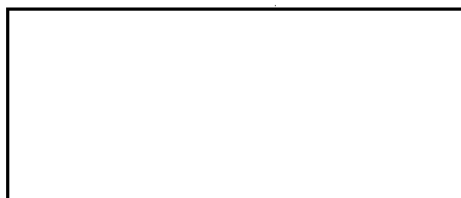


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I am very sorry that I was out of town when you came to Washington and telephoned me from Admiral Mills' office. I regret very much not having the opportunity to see you.

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May I thank you at this time for your kindness in lending us the three volume survey of [redacted] which we have exploited and have found of great interest. The volumes in question are being returned to you through [redacted] office. I should like to thank you again for your kindness and thoughtfulness in letting us have the volumes on [redacted] and the Caribbean. Your kindness is most sincerely appreciated, and I should like to add my personal thanks to the official gratitude of the Agency.

With very best wishes, please believe me,

Sincerely,

Signed & dispatched thru DD 11/1/48

R. H. Hillenkoetter
Rear Admiral, USN
Director of Central
Intelligence

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Note for Record: Related papers, as follows, forwarded to Central Records for file herewith: Memo (Confidential) to DCI from ADOCD, 10/27/48, ER 1192, one page, in dup; Conf. ltr 9/8/48, to DCI from [redacted] ER 1192, one page; Secret Memo to DCI from ADO, 9/29/48, ER 0-1423, one page; [redacted]

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TO : Admiral Hillenkoetter

DATE: 1 Nov 48

FROM :

SUBJECT:

In the event you wish to write [] re the [] surveys, I am quoting extract from Diary for 5 Oct 1948, for possible comment in your letter:

[] (tele) - Telephoned from Adm Mills' office. [] was in town for the day and wanted to call on DCI to pay his respects. He also had a few items to pass on regarding [] which he could very well give our [] Told him General Wright was acting DCI and was sure he would be very happy to see him and I offered to send a car for him. [] thanked for this offer but ask that I pass on to DCI his regards. At same time, I mentioned that the three volumes on [] had arrived several days subsequent to DCI's departure - thanked him for sending them. Stated that our people were extracting information from it and that there might be a delay in returning them to him and hoped that it would not cause him any inconvenience.

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